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**157th Anniversary Reenactment of The Battle of Cedar Creek  
October 15-17, 2021**

In Commemoration of the 157th Anniversary of the Battle of Cedar Creek, originally fought on October 19, 1864, the Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation will host the reenactment event on the original fields in Middletown, Virginia. Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization dedicated to the preservation of the Battlefield and the education of scholars and the general public. All proceeds go towards this mission.

**Please read carefully and fully as the registration requirements and rules and regulations have changed. Please submit your registration no later than September 30, 2021. Registrants must check in at the registration tent upon arrival. Also please note that it is required to present Photo ID upon arrival.**

## **Artillery Registration**

**Artillery:** Guns must register by mail and will be limited to full size (57"-wheeled) guns.

**For registration of Guns:** Artillery must use the separate Artillery Registration Form below, or via download at our website ([www.ccbf.us](http://www.ccbf.us)). Bounties are limited.

**To Register Participants for the Event:** For individual crew members, you may register for the event online at [www.ccbf.us](http://www.ccbf.us) using either method of paying online with a credit card, or by entering your registration and mailing a check to CCBF. Please follow directions as presented at our website. If you have problems or questions, call us at (540) 869-2064.

Registration fees listed below are for adults and teens 13 years of age and older. Children 8 to 12 years of age are ½ price. Children 7 and under are free. Minors must have a parental release form signed and be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

<b>Early Registration</b>	<b>\$20</b>	<b>Register by March 15th, 2021</b>
<b>Spring Registration</b>	<b>\$25</b>	<b>March 16 to May 31, 2021</b>
<b>Regular Registration</b>	<b>\$30</b>	<b>June 1st – August 31st, 2021</b>
<b>Late Registration</b>	<b>\$35</b>	<b>September 1st to September 30th, 2021</b>

**Pay by credit card or check. CCBF uses PayPal to process credit card payments. If you register online using the “pay by postal” method, the associated payment (check) must be postmarked by the last date of the respective registration period. All checks should be made out to:**

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**CCBF or Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation**  
**P.O. Box 229,**  
**Middletown, VA 22645.**

**Fees are not refundable.**

**Walk-ons:** *Due to revised security procedures, all “Walk-On” applicants will need to register online in advance, prior to September 30, 2021.* Applicant will be vetted with the respective affiliation group that you will fall in and camp with. Approval will be based upon this vetting process by the respective military commands and/or living history organization. Otherwise, the applicant will not be allowed to attend. Also, please note that all participants including those who would wish to be “walk-ons” must be affiliated with a reenactment/living history group. The vetting/reservation process registrant will not be allowed on the field without an affiliation approval. ***A fee of \$40 will apply, payable upon arrival:*** CCBF reserves the right to limit the number of walk-ons.

**Substitution(s)** requests must be submitted by **Sept 30<sup>th</sup> and a processing fee of \$5 will apply.** All potential substitute(s) must be registered and go through the vetting process as above. The person who is the individual being replaced must notify CCBF of their intent to offer a substitution. The person who is replacing the registrant must notify CCBF and then register online as per instructions (they will receive). The replacement will be vetted with the unit command for approval. As with all registrations, final approval will rest with CCBF.

**Parking:** Instructions for parking will be provided you. **Please note that vehicle access to the field and camps are restricted after midnight on Friday, October 15.**

**Sunday vehicle access to the camps will not be allowed until 30 minutes after the battle on Sunday is over.** Please note that access to the field will be subject to safety and at the discretion of law enforcement.

# ARTILLERY REGISTRATION FORM

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**THIS FORM IS FOR REISTRATION OF ARTILLERY- GUNS ONLY (with the gun owner/commander included).** This registration form may be used to register the crew as well, however crew members may register online at our website at [www.ccbf.us](http://www.ccbf.us) using the regular online registration procedure, (using either option of pay online or register online and pay by check). **Registration is not guaranteed until proper payment is received by CCBF. A waiver form must be signed prior to participation on the field and may be filed upon arrival at the registration tent or printed out at our website and submitted by mail. Please visit [www.ccbf.us](http://www.ccbf.us) for a copy of a waiver form and to view our rules and regulations.**

**Please note that no vehicles, except towing vehicles that are required to emplace guns on the field, will be allowed in the camp until 30 minutes after the battle on Sunday.**

- **Walk-ons – Due to revised security procedures “Walk-on” applications WILL BE RESTRICTED: Please read on previous page, above regarding this subject.**
- **Substitution(s) requests must be submitted by Sept 30<sup>th</sup> and a processing fee of \$5 will apply. Please read above on previous page regarding this subject.**

Make checks payable to CEDAR CREEK BATTLEFIELD FOUNDATION, (Mail to: P.O. Box 229, Middletown, VA 22645).

# GUN INFORMATION

Which Army is your gun affiliated with?  Confederate  Federal

Provide Gun Name/Battery Designation: \_\_\_\_\_

Provide Military Affiliation:  
(ANV, PACS, USV, US ART RESERVE, Etc.)  
\_\_\_\_\_

Provide the name of the Gun Commander/Owner: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

## ARTILLERY PIECES (by Type)

***NOTE: Full scale ONLY – 57” Wheel; (others by invitation only;). Consideration for the use of any other guns at this event must have prior written approval from the CCBF staff. CCBF black powder bounties are limited.***

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

For horse drawn guns indicate the number of horses in the camp: \_\_\_\_\_

## PERSONNEL (IF REGISTERING TOGETHER, PARTICIPANTS MAY REGISTER ONLINE INDIVIDUALLY)

Number of participants in military camp: Military \_\_\_\_\_ Civilian \_\_\_\_\_

Number of participants in separate civilian camp: Military \_\_\_\_\_ Civilian \_\_\_\_\_

Tents: A Frame \_\_\_\_\_ Dog Tent \_\_\_\_\_ Wall Tent \_\_\_\_\_ Fly \_\_\_\_\_

**IMPORTANT: CLEARLY LIST THE NAMES OF ALL PARTICIPANTS FROM YOUR CREW you are registering on the attached “List of Participants Sheet” below. Please include yourself if you are attending. IDENTIFY EACH INDIVIDUAL BY MILITARY RANK, AS A CIVILIAN OR MINOR (w/age).**

Mail this form with your payment for all crew members you are registering to:

Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation  
P.O. Box 229  
Middletown, VA 22645

**Artillery Unit/Battery** \_\_\_\_\_

**LIST ALL UNIT PARTICIPANTS**

_____	_____	_____
RANK	FIRST NAME	LAST NAME
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**Note: All individuals will need to sign a waiver either in advance, or upon arrival on the field.**

(If more space for individuals is needed, please make a copy of this sheet)

# PARTICIPANT RELEASE FORM & WAIVER OF RIGHTS

Please read this carefully as you are waiving certain legal rights by signing this Participant Release Form. See the complete revised rules for 2021 at [www.ccbf.us](http://www.ccbf.us).

CSA      **UNIT/Battery NAME** \_\_\_\_\_  
 USA

**ONLY FAMILY MEMBERS MAY SIGN ON SAME WAIVER**

**DATE SIGNED:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
RANK      FIRST NAME      LAST NAME      SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
RANK      FIRST NAME      LAST NAME      SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
RANK      FIRST NAME      LAST NAME      SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
RANK      FIRST NAME      LAST NAME      SIGNATURE

Cell phone Number:

Email address

Participant Mailing Address:

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State & Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

## **CEDAR CREEK BATTLEFIELD FOUNDATION ACTIVITY WAIVER & RELEASE AGREEMENT**

I HEREBY ASSUME ALL RISKS OF PARTICIPATING IN THE ACTIVITIES AND EVENTS TO WHICH THIS AGREEMENT PERTAINS AND WITH REGARD TO MY PRESENCE IN AND AROUND THE CEDAR CREEK BATTLEFIELD FOUNDATION ("CCBF") BATTLEFIELD AND OTHER SITES TO WHICH THIS AGREEMENT PERTAINS, as herein described, including by way of example but not limitation, any risks that may arise from negligence or carelessness on the part of the persons or entities being released and any dangerous or defective equipment items, facilities or property used, owned, occupied, controlled or maintained by them. The activities and events to which this Agreement pertains (collectively referred to herein as "Activities") include my presence and all activities on, in or near any property owned, operated or otherwise associated with CCBF, including but not limited to the Cedar Creek Battlefield, the Cedar Creek Battlefield Visitors Center, Hupp's Hill and the Hupp's Hill Civil War Park and Visitor Center, Belle Grove Plantation, and all travel to and from such properties. For example, but not by way of limitation, the Activities may include reenactments, tours and spectatorship. This Agreement shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permissible under applicable law.

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**I certify that I am physically fit, have sufficiently prepared or trained for participation in the Activities, and have not been advised not to participate by qualified medical personnel. I certify that there are no health-related reasons, problems or concerns which would preclude or make inadvisable my participation in the Activities. I also hereby take action for myself, my executors, administrators, heirs, next of kin, successors, and assigns as follows:**

- (A) **I WAIVE, RELEASE AND DISCHARGE** to the extent possible by law, from any and all liability, including but not limited to, liability arising from the negligence or fault of the entities or persons released, for my death, disability, personal injury, property damage, property theft, or actions of any kind which may hereafter occur during or in connection with the Activities **THE FOLLOWING ENTITIES OR PERSONS:** The CCBF and any and all of its employees, directors, consultants, Members of the Board, volunteers, representatives, agents, assigns, successors, contractors, suppliers, vendors, event sponsors, co-occupants of any CCBF facility or property and donors;
- (B) **I INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS** the CCBF and any and all of its employees, directors, consultants, Members of the Board, volunteers, representatives, agents, assigns, successors, contractors, suppliers, vendors, event sponsors, co-occupants of any CCBF facility or property and donors with regard to any claim that my participation in the Activities or other actions or inactions gave rise to any claim or otherwise causes liability. This indemnification relates to any claims, whether meritorious or not, and includes, but is not limited to attorneys' fees and damage awards.
- (C) I acknowledge that there is a possibility that subsequent to the execution of this Agreement, including but not limited to the release herein, I may discover facts or incur or suffer claims which were unknown or unsuspected at the time this Agreement was executed, and which if known by me at that time may have materially affected my decision to execute this Agreement. I am assuming any risk of such unknown facts and such unknown and unsuspected claims.

I also recognize and accept that there are risks attendant to the Activity, including, but not limited to, those caused by terrain, facilities, temperature, weather, condition of participants, equipment, vehicular traffic, actions of other people including, but not limited to, participants, volunteers, spectators, event officials, and event monitors, and/or producers of the event, and lack of hydration, open campfires, primitive camping conditions, inaccessibility to medical assistance, handling and use of black powder, discharge of small arms and cannons, the risk of injury attendant to movement of large groups of people, and the presence and use of horses and/or other animals. The event is held on active farmland. I acknowledge the hazard of uneven surfaces, pits, holes, and other hazards inherent in this environment and accept full responsibility for these hazards as I might encounter. I hereby consent to receive medical treatment at my own expense which may be deemed advisable in the event of injury, accident, and/or illness during this event.

I hereby grant to the CCBF and its licensees, successors, and assigns the rights to make use of my appearance, actions, voice, sounds, name(s) and other attributes (collectively "Appearance") and any part of them comprising or related to my attendance of or participation in the Activities, including, but not limited to Cedar Creek Battlefield reenactment(s), related activities (e.g., camp activities, the dances, etc.) and visits to sites or facilities in the Cedar Creek area (e.g., the Cedar Creek Battlefield, the Visitor's Center, Hupp's Hill Civil War Park and Visitor Center, Belle Grove, etc.). This grant shall be effective everywhere, perpetual, for an unlimited number of times, and shall include the rights to photograph, film, depict, reproduce, distribute, record, transmit, store, display, make derivative and edited works and otherwise exploit my Appearance and any part of it, in and through any media or means now known or hereafter conceived. I understand that CCBF will rely on this grant and I fully intend it to have legal effect.

I specifically agree to follow the parking rules established by CCBF. I am aware that any infractions on my part may result in the towing of my vehicle at my sole risk and expense, and/or expulsion from the event and activities.

Any person found without a valid registration for the event will be treated as an illegal trespasser and will be subject to the remedies and penalties as provided by the laws of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

**I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENT. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT AND I SIGN IT OF MY OWN FREE WILL. I FULLY INTEND THIS AGREEMENT TO BE BINDING, HAVE LEGAL EFFECT AND INDUCE RELIANCE AND ALSO ACKNOWLEDGE THAT CCBF HAS PROVIDED GOOD AND VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, E.G., PERMISSION TO ME TO PARTICIPATE IN ACTIVITIES ON CCBF SITE(S) WHICH MAY BE WITHDRAWN OR RESCINDED AT ANY TIME.**

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Participant's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Age

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

(If under 18 years old, Parent or Guardian must also sign below)

PARENT/GUARDIAN WAIVER FOR MINORS (Under 18 years old)

The undersigned parent and natural guardian does hereby represent that he/she is, in fact, acting in such capacity, has consented to his/her child or ward's participation in the Activities, and has agreed individually and on behalf of the child or ward, to the terms of this Agreement, including, but not limited to the accident waiver and release of liability set forth above. The undersigned further agrees to save and hold harmless and indemnify the CCBF and any and all of its employees, directors, consultants, members of the board, volunteers, representatives, agents, assigns, successors, contractors, suppliers, vendors, event sponsors, co-occupants of any CCBF facility or property and donors from all liability, loss, cost, claim, or damage whatsoever which may be imposed upon said parties because of any defect in or lack of such capacity to so act and release said parties on behalf of the minor or the parents or legal guardian.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Print Participant's Name

\_\_\_\_\_  
Age

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Parent or Guardian

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Please read the complete Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation Event Standards, Rules and Regulations at our website: [www.ccbf.us](http://www.ccbf.us), a portion thereof, regarding Artillery only is provided below. Artillery personnel shall read and are subject to and will abide by all rules and regulations as described in the complete Cedar Creek Battlefield Foundation Event Standards, Rules and Regulations.**

**(From: CCBF Standards, Rules and Regulations)**

**Artillery**

- 1. Field pieces must be full size 12-lb Napoleons, 3" Ordinance rifles, 6-pounders, or 10-lb Parrots mounted on full scale #1 or larger field carriages (with 57" wheels). CCBF guarantees black powder bounties for the first fifteen (15) pieces registered for each side. Consideration for the use of any other guns at this event must have prior written approval from the CCBF staff.*
2. A safety zone of 50 yards in front of the cannons will be maintained whenever the guns are firing. No loading of cannons will occur and an immediate cease fire order must be given when cavalry or troops are within the safety zone. Passing in front of cannons is extremely dangerous and must be avoided.
3. Safety...During battles, crossed rammers must be prominently displayed to caution a misfire in the face of approaching forces!!
4. All sanctioned cannons and crews must participate in both scripted battles to be eligible for cannon bounty. Bounties are limited.
5. The chief of artillery, in accordance with the rules of the CCBF, has the authority and responsibility to inspect and grant a "go" or "no go" final say in matters concerning drill, uniform requirements, safety, condition of gun & implements and proficiency of the cannoneers.

The movement of Guns requiring modern means (modern vehicles and trailers) shall be "emplaced" prior to the scheduled engagement. These guns will remain in position until after the battle and then upon Artillery Command's release to remove the gun(s) from the field. All modern vehicles and trailers must be removed from the vista and kept out of sight throughout the engagement. No Exceptions.



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